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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
7 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**  
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9 Leslie E. Orman,

10 Petitioner,

11 v.

12 Central Loan Administration & Reporting,  
13 et al.,

14 Respondents.

No. CV-19-04756-PHX-DWL

**ORDER**

15 On August 30, 2019, Petitioner Leslie Orman filed a “Response and Motion to  
16 Strike Respondents’ Pleadings As Frivolous and Motion for Confirmation of Arbitration  
17 Award.” (Doc. 19.) On September 5, 2019, the Court issued an order that, *inter alia*,  
18 denied Petitioner’s motion to strike because Petitioner did “not identify any statute or rule  
19 that would authorize her motion to strike, nor does she suggest that Respondents’ motions  
20 are prohibited (or not authorized) by statute, rule, or court order. Petitioner’s filing offers  
21 only arguments as to why the motions should be denied, not as to why they should be  
22 struck.” (Doc. 21 at 1-2.)

23 Petitioner has now filed a motion for reconsideration of the order denying her  
24 motion to strike. (Doc. 28.)


25 “Motions to reconsider are appropriate only in rare circumstances.” *Defenders of*  
26 *Wildlife v. Browner*, 909 F. Supp. 1342, 1351 (D. Ariz. 1995). A motion for  
27 reconsideration is appropriate where the district court “(1) is presented with newly  
28 discovered evidence, (2) committed clear error or the initial decision was manifestly unjust,

1 or (3) if there is an intervening change in controlling law.” *School Dist. No. 1J, Multnomah*  
2 *County v. ACandS, Inc.*, 5 F.3d 1255, 1263 (9th Cir. 1993). Mere disagreement with a  
3 previous order is an insufficient basis for reconsideration. *See Leong v. Hilton Hotels*  
4 *Corp.*, 689 F. Supp. 1572, 1573 (D. Haw. 1988). A motion for reconsideration “may not  
5 be used to raise arguments or present evidence for the first time when they could reasonably  
6 have been raised earlier in the litigation.” *Kona Enters., Inc. v. Estate of Bishop*, 229 F.3d  
7 877, 890 (9th Cir. 2000). Nor may a motion for reconsideration repeat any argument  
8 previously made in support of or in opposition to a motion. *Motorola, Inc. v. J.B. Rodgers*  
9 *Mech. Contractors, Inc.*, 215 F.R.D. 581, 586 (D. Ariz. 2003).

10 The Court has reviewed Petitioner’s earlier motion, the September 5, 2019 order,  
11 and the motion for reconsideration. Based on that review, the Court finds no basis to  
12 reconsider its prior ruling.

13 Accordingly, **IT IS ORDERED** that Petitioner’s motion for reconsideration (Doc.  
14 28) is **denied**.

15 Dated this 30th day of September, 2019.

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20 Dominic W. Lanza  
21 United States District Judge  
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